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## "Open Stock" Dinnerware As Xmas Gifts.

In an "Open Stock" set you make your own assortment; more of this piece, less of that, and none of another. And when additional quantities are required, either to augment the service or replace broken pieces, the pattern being carried in stock permits the supplying of such pieces promptly.

French China Open Stock Dinnerware, for service of 12 persons, \$23.75.

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Good Cut Glass—glass of quality only—is here. But the prices are not greater than those asked elsewhere for inferior pieces.

Cut Glass Pitchers, \$2.75 up  
Cut Glass Olive Dishes, \$1.00 up  
Cut Glass Berry Bowls, \$2.75 up  
Cut Glass Bonbon Dishes, \$1.00 up  
Cut Glass Fern Dishes, \$2.75 up  
Cut Glass Sugar and Cream Sets, \$3.00 up  
Cut Glass Vinegar Cruets, \$1.00 up  
Cut Glass Celery Trays, \$2.25 up  
Cut Glass Compots, \$1.50 up  
Cut Glass Cologne Bottles, 75c up  
Cut Glass Vases, 25c up

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\$2.50 to \$20.00 the Set.

## The Japanese Department.

A MORE complete showing than in previous seasons. In fact, we have never shown such a rich assortment from which to select gifts, favors, and home decorations.

Japanese China Nut Sets, \$1.25 up  
Japanese China Plates, 50c up  
Each, 50c up  
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Each, 50c up  
Japanese China Teapots, 50c up  
Each, 75c up  
Japanese China Chocolate Pitchers, 75c up  
Each, 75c up  
Japanese China Sugar and Cream Sets, 75c up  
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## Gift China for Children.

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Bowls, 15c each, up.  
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THE NATIONAL. At 2:35 and 8:15  
"The Arcadians"  
THE RELASCO. At 2:35 and 8:15  
"Atlas Jimmy Valentine"  
THE COLUMBIA. At 2:35 and 8:15  
"He Fell in Love With His Wife"  
CHAMBER'S. At 2:35 and 8:15  
Polite Vaudeville  
THE ACADEMY. At 2:35 and 8:15  
"The Montana Limited"  
THE GAYETY. At 2:35 and 8:15  
Burlesque  
THE LYCEUM. At 2:35 and 8:15  
Burlesque  
THE CASINO. Continuous  
Vaudeville and Pictures  
THE COSMOS. Continuous  
Vaudeville and Pictures  
THE MAJESTIC. Continuous  
Vaudeville and Pictures  
THE AVENUE GRAND. Continuous  
Vaudeville and Pictures  
THE PLAZA. Continuous  
Moving Pictures  
THE VIRGINIA. Continuous  
Moving Pictures  
THE ALHAMBRA. Continuous  
Moving Pictures  
THE NEW HOWARD. At 8:15  
"Anita, the Singing Girl"

**James Young, Tragedian.**  
James Young, who will shortly appear at Chase's Theater in his vaudeville act, entitled "Flashlight Glimpses of Classic Character," in which he appears in three famous Shakespearean characters, Hamlet, Shylock, and Marc Antony, has been associated among the best players of the dramatic art. In his work he shows the finish acquired through such a medium. He has had seasons with Sir Henry Irving in London and through England; with the late Augustin Daly, when he originated the role of Christian in Cyrano de Bergerac; with Charles Richman and Ada Rohan; with Mrs. Pike, Viola Allen, Annie Russell, Amelia Bingham, and others. He has starred with his own company playing "Hamlet," "Shylock," "Richard III," "The Fool's Revenge," "Katharine and Petruchio," "Richard the Third," and a number of other dramas of the best class. His present sketch is one devised by himself, and in every city

## IN THE SOCIAL WORLD

President and Mrs. Taft Entertain at Dinner.

MISS SMITH TO BE BUD TO-DAY

Will Be Presented at a Tea This Afternoon—Italian Ambassador and Marchesa Confalonieri Entertain at Their First Dinner Party in Washington—Other Functions.

The President and Mrs. Taft entertained at dinner last evening at the White House. Their guests were the Attorney General and Mrs. Wickham, the Secretary of Commerce and Labor, Mr. E. A. Tamm, Commissioner and Mrs. Martin A. Knapp, Commissioner and Mrs. Judson C. Clements, Commissioner Charles A. Prouty, Commissioner Francis M. Cockrell, Commissioner and Mrs. Franklin K. Lane, Commissioner Edward E. Clark, President Arthur T. Hadley, Commissioner and Mrs. Charles P. Nell, Miss Taft, Mr. Frederick N. Judson, Mr. Frederick Strauss, Mr. Walter L. Fisher, Mr. R. H. Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. William E. S. Griswold, and Capt. Archibald W. Butt. The decorations of the table were golden wedding chrysanthemums and farleyense ferns.

Mrs. Greely, wife of Gen. Adolphus W. Greely, and their daughters will entertain at a dinner-dance December 23 for Miss Helen Taft.

The Italian Ambassador and Marchesa Confalonieri entertained at their first dinner party in Washington last evening, and their guests were asked to meet Miss Eleanor Terry at Lieut. Camperio, formerly naval attaché of the embassy, who will be married at noon on Thursday. The other guests were the French Ambassador and Mme. Jusserand, Mr. Nevozor, counselor of the embassy, who will act as best man at the wedding; Mr. Centaro, second secretary of the embassy; Mrs. Terry, wife of Rear Admiral Terry, mother of the bride-elect; Mme. Alberto Meyer del Camperio, sister of the bridegroom-elect; Capt. Carlo Pister, naval attaché of the embassy, and Mme. Pister; Miss Ida, daughter of the United States Minister to Spain, who is the house guest of Mrs. Beekman Winthrop; Mrs. Sumner, wife of the naval attaché of the United States Embassy at Tokyo; Mrs. Stilson Hutchins, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Leiter, Donna Beatrice Cusani Confalonieri, Mr. Augusto Rosso, one of the ushers at the wedding, Signor Fara Forni, Italian consul at New York; Mr. C. Ceccato, commercial delegate of the embassy; Mr. Robert Keeling, formerly of Baltimore, and Signor Guido di Vincenzi.

Mrs. John Jay White entertained at dinner last evening in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Walter L. Spenser Suidan, Jr., of New York, who, with Mr. Suidan, is a guest of her mother. The dinner was followed by a small dance. The dinner guests included Maj. and Mrs. Cosby, Dr. and Mrs. Kerr, Mrs. Harold Sewall, Miss Olga Roosevelt, Miss Gladys Hinkley, Miss Katherine Britton, and her house guest, Miss Baxter, of Kentucky; Miss Mary McCauley, Baron Hardenbroeck, of the German Embassy staff; Mr. Martin, of the Swiss Legation; Mr. and Mrs. Granville R. Fortescue, Mr. William Bowles Clarke, Mr. Chauncey Hackett, Mr. Candee, Mr. Totten, and Dr. Cabell. About thirty couples among the young married people and the unmarried belles and beaux were asked for dancing afterward. These guests included the dinner guests and Miss Carol Crawford, the Misses Whiting, Miss May Hammond, Miss McMullin, Miss Margaret Cotton Smith, and her brother, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Davidge.

Maj. Gen. A. W. Greely, U. S. A., and Mrs. Greely presented their daughter, Miss Gertrude Greely, to Washington society at a large and brilliant reception yesterday in their home. The family have been traveling abroad for the past year and have only recently returned to the capital, that their daughter might make her initial bow to society in the home of her childhood. Mrs. Greely and Miss Greely had received with them Mrs. Charles L. Adams, of Hudson, N. Y., and Miss Greely and Miss Rose Greely, sisters of the debutante. Miss Gertrude Greely more than made good her reputation as a French embroidered muslin, and Mrs. Greely was given in a plum-colored chiffon, embroidered in silver. Mrs. Adams wore a handsome gown of pink, velvet in marquisette. Miss Greely was gowned in yellow, and Miss Rose Greely pink satin, draped in black.

Mrs. Janin, godmother of the fair bride of the afternoon, presided at the tea table, and Mrs. Charles E. Lothrop, daughter of Mr. Francis G. Colton, served the chocolate. The most distinguished young woman among the very large company was Miss Helen Taft, who spent some time there. The house was a bower of blossoms, sent to the debutante by old and new friends, for the Greelys have a very large circle of friends not by any means confined to the army circles, where Gen. Greely has so long been prominent. After the tea, Mrs. Greely entertained the receiving party at a seated supper in the dining-room, a corresponding number of young men being added to the company of young women.

One of the debutantes of this afternoon will be Miss Ida Norment Smith, a grand-daughter of the late Samuel P. Norment, one of the social and old residents of the city. She will be presented at a tea by her mother, Mrs. Odell S. Smith, at their home in Sixteenth street. She has as her house guest Miss Mary Baxter, of Boston, who will assist at the function, which will be followed by a dinner and a dance at Raucher's. Others assisting will be the bride's aunt, Mrs. Clarence Norment; another aunt, Mrs. Ullie M. Hurley; Mrs. Smith's stepmother, Mrs. Mamie E. Norment; the bride's cousin, Mrs. John Alden, and the following hostesses of the season: Miss Ruth Parker, Miss Marion Edmonston King, Miss Marie Ray, Miss Nellie Acker, Miss Hazel Cox, Miss Louise Robertson, Miss Katherine Poole, Miss Mildred Bacon, Miss Elsie Brownling, Miss Ruth Parker Larner, and her

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BAND CONCERT TO-DAY.  
By United States Soldiers' Home Band, John S. M. Zimmerman, director, at Stanley Hall, 3:30 o'clock.  
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house guest, Miss Natalie Kernan, of Syracuse, introduced before her visit to Washington, and Miss Ruby Stokes.

Mrs. Franklin MacVeagh, wife of the Secretary of the Treasury, will go over to New York to-morrow to make a brief visit.

Miss Louise Cromwell, daughter of Mrs. Oliver Cromwell, who will make her formal bow to society in January, will entertain a distinguished house party of young people for several days next month, beginning Sunday, December 11. Miss Vivian Gould, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Gould, Miss Angelica Brown, I. Townsend Burden, Jr., and Jarvis Geer, Jr., who will accompany Miss Cromwell down from New York, where she will make a brief visit, will be her guests. Miss Cromwell will go to New York on December 9, to attend the dinner dance on Long Island, at which Mrs. Preston Satterthwaite will entertain for Miss Ella Gilbert. Monday and Tuesday, December 12 and 13, Miss Cromwell will entertain at luncheon for her guests, and Monday evening she will be hostess at a dinner and theater party, taking her guests after dinner to the Belasco Theater for the opening of Preston Gibson's play, "Drifting." In honor of Miss Gould and Miss Brown. Tuesday evening the party will be among the guests at the large dinner which Mrs. Taft is giving in honor of Miss Cromwell.

Mrs. Beekman Winthrop, wife of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy, entertained at an informal luncheon yesterday in honor of her house guest, Miss Marjorie Ide. Miss Ide is spending several days with Mrs. Winthrop, having come to Washington for the wedding of Miss Eleanor Terry and Lieut. Camperio Thursday.

Miss Adele Colgate, daughter of Lady Stratford, will arrive in Washington on Thursday to be the week-end guest of the Assistant Secretary of the Navy and Mrs. Beekman Winthrop.

The Secretary of the Interior left Washington yesterday for Chicago, where he will join Mrs. Ballinger, who is en route from Seattle. They will arrive in Washington December 2, and occupy apartments in Stoneleigh Court for the winter.

Miss Ruth Pilling will have as her house guest for a few weeks her cousin, Miss Katherine Harper, daughter of Mr. William Hudson Harper, of Evanston, Ill., who will arrive here to-day.

A very attractive programme of music has been arranged for the musicale and tea to be held this afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore W. Noyes, at 1730 New Hampshire avenue, by the ladies of the Guild of St. Thomas's Church. Miss Ruth Noyes, the elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Noyes, is deeply interested in the work of the Ladies' Guild of this church.

Many of the society maids and matrons are deeply interested in the concert at the Columbia Friday afternoon for the benefit of the Graduate Nurses' Association, when the Olive Mead Quartet will be heard. This is an organization of young women who form a string quartet and have received the highest praise from New York and Boston critics. Many of the society people interested in the different hospitals are taking a hand in the concert.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Calvert, of Portland, Me., announce the engagement of their daughter, Grace Waldron Calvert, to Capt. Percy Poe Bishop, assistant to Brig. Gen. Arthur Murray, U. S. A. The wedding will take place in April at the bride's home. The engagement was announced at a beautiful tea given on Friday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Calvert in her Portland home, where Capt. Bishop had been a Thanksgiving guest. After their wedding trip, Capt. Bishop and his bride will be at home in Washington. Miss Calvert is of the most prominent young women in social and musical circles of and near Portland. She is a beautiful singer and a cultivated musician. She met Capt. Bishop first last summer, when he was on a trip with Gen. Murray, while observing target practice in various parts. In the early autumn Capt. Bishop was again on an inspection trip with Gen. Murray to the ports of the North Atlantic, where his suit was won. Mr. Thomas E. Calvert is the editor and owner of the Portland Argus.

Cards are out for the home recital to be given by Miss Josephine Underwood Murdock at the Colonial School, 125 Connecticut avenue, on the afternoon of Friday, December 2, at 4 o'clock. Miss Murdock, a certified pupil of Theodor LeSchetzky (Vienna, 1904-07), is an addition to the musical circles of Washington. Miss Murdock's skillful, brilliant playing meets with pronounced success.

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Mrs. Leonard Wood, wife of Maj. Gen. Wood, U. S. A., will be the guest of honor at a luncheon preceding the cavalry drill on Friday. Mrs. Wood will receive on Friday in January.

Miss Mary Stead will entertain at a tea Wednesday, December 7, when she will ask her guests to meet Miss Doris Haywood and Miss Elizabeth Collins.

Mrs. W. S. Teel, Jr., of Bridgeport, Conn., has arrived in this city for the wedding of her sister, Miss Winifred Davis, and Lieut. Richard C. Moore, U. S. A., which will take place December 7. She is the guest of her parents, Mr.

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Hats that were \$5 and \$7.50 reduced to	\$3.50
Hats that sold up to \$10 reduced to	\$5.00
Hats that were \$12 and \$15 reduced to	\$7.00
Hats that sold up to \$20 reduced to	\$10.00

Other Hats reduced in proportion.  
Complete showing of new Untrimmed Hats and Trimmings.

## MORNING CHIT-CHAT.

I AM exceptionally glad to-night that I write this chat. Because it gives me a chance to express some pent up feelings about the person who regards indiscriminate and considered plain speaking as the shining evening star among virtues. And if I didn't have that chance, seem to me I'd explode.

Of course you know the kind of person I mean.

You also meet up with them every once in awhile, and in the name of their dislike of hypocrisy and burning love of truth, are informed of some disagreeable and completely unnecessary fact by them.

"Truth, oh, truth, how many wrongs are committed in its name?" I suppose you are wondering what makes me so very rancorous to-night.

Well, I'll tell you.

Molly, the little stenographer lady, came to see me yesterday. Molly is one of my favorite heroines, along with Joan of Arc and Marie Antoinette. If I am ever clever enough I am going to put her in a book. She is twenty-one years old. She is very pretty. If she hadn't been over-worked and undermanned all her life she would be even prettier. She works in an office through which many men of all sorts are continually passing. A few of them are genuinely kind to her, but most of them insist upon regarding her prettiness as a sort of "girl for sale" sign. Almost every new man tries to work up a more or less desperate flirtation with her. "You can't trust any man. Not even the white-haired ones, who begin by talking about their daughters at home. Often they are the worst," is the sum of Molly's experience. And yet, despite the handicap of her surroundings and her charm, the stenographer lady has kept both her character and her dignity intact.

Molly has worked ever since she was sixteen and never earned more than \$10 a week, because she didn't have a good equipment to start with.

To return to my theme—the stenographer lady came to me last night with the corners of her mouth turned down. That is rare for Molly, for despite her far from hilarious life, she manages to keep those corners pretty perky. And this was the reason d'être, as it came out in due season. A big event had just taken place in Molly's uneventful life. She had bought a new hat—the first one she had had in three winters. And, alas, it was a terrible error in judgment—a hideous shape and an unbecoming color.

The stenographer lady, as soon as she had bought it, dimly suspected that she had made a terrible mistake, but her mates knowing how much it pleased her, and how very, very long Molly would have to wear it, nobly rose to the occasion and reassured her, and Molly was comforted.

And then, as ill luck would have it, Molly met up with a plain speaker, and the plain speaker, glorying in the fact that she was no hypocrite, told Molly, "You know I never can pretend to like anything when I don't, and, really, Molly, it isn't a bit your style. Why, you looked better in that old hat you wore last year than you do in this. And no one is wearing that kind of feathers now, and look at that velvet. It's terribly cheap."

Of course, the girls who told Molly it was the most becoming hat she ever had didn't do right.

Hypocrisy is wicked, of course, but I wonder what St. Peter thinks of certain kinds of plain speaking.

When any one asks one's opinion in regard to something which can be altered, I think one should tell the truth as gently as possible. But when any one asks one's opinion on some unfortunate and unalterable fact, like poor little Molly's ugly hat, I don't see why it isn't permissible to tell everything one knows.

Do you?

RUTH CAMERON.

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